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Rohan McGowan-Jackson Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation P.O. Box 6001 Magna, Utah 84044-6001

Subject: Acceptance of Heap Leach Closure Plan: February 02, 2010, Submittal; Kennecott Utah Copper, Barneys Canyon Mine, M/035/0009, Salt Lake County, Utah

Dear Mr. McGowan-Jackson:

The Division has reviewed your supplemental Heap Leach Pad closure plan for Barneys Canyon and accepts the changes. Please provide the following so the M/035/0002 permit can incorporate the change:

- 2 Clean copies of the Heap Leach closure plan
- A new Table of Content for the Barneys Canyon plan to reflect change

Thank you for your cooperation. When in the area, a member of the Division staff will examine the site. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at 801-538-5261 or the Leslie Heppler at 801-538-5257. In reply, please refer to file number M/035/0009.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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